

## Dear Bloomington Resident:

The collector streets listed below have been tentatively placed on the Pavement Management Program (PMP) schedule for 2009. The purpose of the PMP program is to perform the proper maintenance techniques on the roadways at the optimum time. The results include: prolonged pavement life and reduced overall cost for streets. These streets will likely receive a seal coat in 2009, with no assessed cost to the adjacent property owners.

W 102<sup>nd</sup> Street: Nesbitt Avenue to Normandale Boulevard

W 110<sup>th</sup> Street: Normandale Blvd to France Avenue France Avenue: W 110<sup>th</sup> Street to Overlook Drive Xerxes Avenue: W 84<sup>th</sup> Street to W 90<sup>th</sup> Street

As part of the seal coat projects, the existing pavement markings will be removed or covered and will need to be reapplied. With the City's Collector Street Policy, collector streets receiving PMP improvements will be eligible for a new street striping configuration.

Based on the policy and the traffic volumes, these four roadways would be eligible for a new striping configuration (no curb changes) that would reduce the number of drive lanes. Options to be studied for roadways are listed below.

- 2-lanes (one in each direction with striped shoulder)
- 3-lanes (one in each direction with a center two way turn lane)
- 4-lane (existing configuration)

Examples of 2-lane striping configuration can be seen on Nesbitt Avenue from Old Shakopee Rd to W 94<sup>th</sup> Street and W 94<sup>th</sup> Street from Nesbitt Avenue to Normandale Boulevard.

Examples of 3 lane striping configuration can be seen on W 102<sup>nd</sup> Street from France Avenue to Penn Avenue and 90<sup>th</sup> Street from France Avenue to Normandale Boulevard.

As a resident in the neighborhood serviced by one of the collector streets listed above, you are invited to a Neighborhood Open House where information will be provided about the potential changes on these roadways. At the open house we will have displays illustrating the striping reconfiguration options for the street segments and staff will be available to answer questions regarding the policy and the proposed changes. Comment cards will be available for residents to leave feedback.

## **NEIGHBORHOODS OPEN HOUSE**

**Date and Time:** Monday, November 3, 2008 between 5:00 and 7:00 p.m.

**Location:** 1700 W 98<sup>th</sup> Street, Bloomington Public Works Training Room

(park in the west lot, and use the westerly facing door)

For more information about the traffic management policies and programs, visit the City's web site at <a href="https://www.ci.bloomington.mn.us">www.ci.bloomington.mn.us</a>, select the "Wheels and Byways" tab at the top and go to "Traffic Management".

Sincerely,

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